

## NOTICE OF WHEELER COUNTY SCHOOL LAND LEASE SALE

Notice is hereby given that an authorized representative of the Board of Educational Lands and Funds of the State of Nebraska will offer for lease at public auction on the day and time set forth below, at the office of the County Treasurer of Wheeler County in Bartlett, Nebraska, the following educational lands within said County:

DATE: December 8, 2016

TIME: 2:00 p.m.

In the event of inclement weather and/or bad roads, the Board's Field Representative may postpone the sale until December 15, 2016, at 2:00 p.m. If this occurs, the County Treasurer and the Board's Lincoln Office will both be notified at least 90 minutes prior to the originally scheduled sale time.

<u>TRACT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>SEC.TWP.RGE</u>	<u>2017 RENTAL</u>	<u>LEASE EXPIRATION</u>
1	S2SW4 (80 acres, more or less)	16-21-09	\$7,976.00	December 31, 2024

Predominant Land Use: Pivot irrigated cropground

This tract is located 6 miles north of Spalding, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 280 rods of fence, irrigation well, irrigation pump, column, bowls and gearhead. Total Value: \$25,000.00

The center pivot system, diesel power unit, fuel and chemical tanks are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

3	All (640 acres, more or less)	16-22-09	\$15,551.40	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 10 miles east of Bartlett, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 640 rods of fence, stockwell, steel tower and mill. Total Value: \$8,100.00

The stock tanks are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

STIPULATION: The Board may terminate this Lease prior to its scheduled expiration date by 1) giving at least nine (9) months notice of termination to the Lessee, or 2) giving written notice of termination to the Lessee stating that the lease shall terminate on December 31st of the year notice was given. In the event of such early termination, any bonus paid for this Lease will be partially refunded. The unused percentage of the original lease term shall be multiplied by the bonus previously paid to determine the refund amount.

14	All (640 acres, more or less)	36-23-10	\$16,376.82	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 2 miles north and 7 miles east of Bartlett, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 800 rods of fence, stockwell, steel tower, mill and bottomless tank. Total Value: \$8,700.00

The portable steel stock tanks and electric fence on West boundary are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

16	All (640 acres, more or less)	36-24-10	\$18,627.60	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 16 miles west and 1 mile north of Elgin, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 480 rods of fence. Total Value: \$4,400.00

The electric fence, tower, mill, tanks, stockwell pipe, rod and cylinder are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

The stockwell is owned by the School Trust and all right, title and interest shall remain with the School Trust.

22	All (640 acres, more or less)	16-24-11	\$24,338.02	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 11 miles north and 2 miles west of Bartlett, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 640 rods of fence, 2 stockwells, steel tower, mill and bottomless tank. Total Value: \$11,400.00

The stock tanks, tower at SW4NE4 stockwell and 320 rods of electric cross fence are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

23	All (640 acres, more or less)	36-24-11	\$18,826.22	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland  
This tract is located 8 miles north of Bartlett, NE.  
Improvements to be sold include: 660 rods of fence and stockwell. Total Value: \$4,900.00  
The steel tower, mill and stock tanks are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.  
The stockwell in the center of section is owned by the School Trust and all right, title and interest shall remain with the School Trust.

26	All (640 acres, more or less)	16-22-12	\$15,552.00	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland  
This tract is located 8 miles west of Bartlett, NE.  
Improvements to be sold include: 320 rods of fence. Total Value: \$1,950.00  
The electric fence is to be considered personal property and is subject to removal by the previous lessee.

27	All (640 acres, more or less)	36-22-12	\$30,457.70	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland with pivot irrigated and dryland cropland  
This tract is located 3 miles north and 1 mile east of Ericson, NE.  
Improvements to be sold include: 2,040 rods of fence, stockwell, pressure system with pump, underground pipe and hydrants, irrigation pump, column and gearhead. Total Value: \$31,000.00  
The house, all other buildings, fuel barrels, stock tanks, gates, irrigation motor and center pivot system are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.  
The irrigation well is owned by the School Trust and all right, title and interest shall remain with the School Trust.

In order for anyone to be eligible to bid on a school land lease, they must be able to contract in accordance with Nebraska Law and have deposited with the County Treasurer of the County in which the land is located, or with a representative of the Board, a bank draft, cashier's check, certified check or money order made payable to the Board of Educational Lands and Funds, or cash, equivalent to the 2017 rental of said tract. Said rental deposit may be submitted at any time until the tract is announced "Sold".

If more than one qualified bidder is interested in a lease, it will be sold to the party bidding the highest cash bonus, in addition to the first year's rent, at the auction. Bonus bids must be paid to the Board of Educational Lands and Funds immediately following the auction. Bonus bids are a one-time payment which covers the entire term of the lease.

All sales of educational land leases at public auction are considered to be non-revocable offers, which shall become binding contracts only upon acceptance and approval following the sale by the Board of Educational Lands and Funds. Leases will be effective January 1, 2017, or upon acceptance and approval by the Board, whichever occurs later.

Leases will be issued only to those who sign the "Lease and Application" in person or through an Attorney-In-Fact who presents a Power of Attorney at the time of the auction. A sample Power of Attorney is available on the Board's website. Lease assignments submitted to the Board within 30 days of the auction will be processed without fee. The Board's standard form lease sets out the terms of the lease of the real estate to which this notice pertains; provided, however, any additional stipulations pertaining specifically to this real estate, which are included in this notice, shall be added to and become a part of the complete terms of the lease pertaining to this real estate. The Board's standard form lease may be inspected at the County Treasurer's office or on the Board's website and a copy, which includes any additional stipulations pertaining to this real estate, can be obtained by contacting the Board's Lincoln office or the Field Representative for this county named above.

The purchaser shall, within thirty days of the date of Board approval, pay the amount of the value of the improvements (and growing crops, if applicable) as stated above, to the County Treasurer of the County wherein the land is situated. If such payment is not made on time and in full, all payments made by the purchaser to the Board may be declared forfeited and a new lease or sale of the land may be authorized. All improvements affixed to the land which are not listed above are and shall remain owned by the School Trust.  
**No improvements shall be placed on the land by Lessee without the prior written approval of the Board; and any improvements made by Lessee without the prior written approval of the Board shall be permanently owned exclusively by the Board.**

All monies received by the Board's agents will be deposited subject to approval of the lease by the Board of Educational Lands and Funds. In the event a lease is not approved, the appropriate refunds will be issued.

All County Farm Service Agency information for the Board of Educational Lands and Funds is public information and is obtainable by contacting the local office.

Rental is subject to change by the Board semi-annually at any time during the term of the lease.

For further information contact:

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